

# Katnook

## FOUNDER'S BLOCK

Katnook Founder's Block wines are named in honour of the original land holding of John Riddoch, the founder of Coonawarra.

The Founder's Block range is styled for everyday enjoyment, inviting a modern generation of wine consumers to explore the pleasures of Coonawarra wine. The wines are grounded in the past but genuinely focused on the present. They are honest, fruit driven, harmonious and shine with pure Coonawarra character.



## Chardonnay 2016

**Grape Variety:** Chardonnay

**Region:** Coonawarra

**Harvest:** 08 - 29 February 2016

**pH:** 3.31 **Acidity:** 5.8 g/L

**RS:** 2.5 g/L **Alc/vol:** 13.5%

**Vintage:** Coonawarra's 2016 vintage was an early one. An ideal growing season of slightly above average temperatures and dry conditions produced outstanding fruit harvested at optimum maturity.

**Cellar:** Enjoy now or will cellar for up to four years.

**Colour:** Straw yellow with tinges of green.

**Nose:** Peach and nectarine with some zesty grapefruit. Subtle crème caramel and creamy notes add a lovely touch of complexity.

**Palate:** Enticing white peach, pear and citrus with hints of brioche. Rich and creamy mouthfeel balanced with elegant oak and a fresh, lingering finish.

**Food Matching:** Barbecued salmon, roast chicken or risotto with wild mushrooms and asparagus.

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